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#### VARIETY IN BONNETS,

tudies Made on the Street and in the Mil-One of the curiosities of commerce is the variety in woman's hats and bonnets to be found in the millinery stores. A man likes to have his had like the hat that every other man is wearing, but if a woman buys a bonnet and then goes out on the street and sees a bonnet just like hers on the lead of another woman she loses her emper. On the hat question a woman insists upon being a monopolist. She will be exclusive or she won't play. As matter of fact women are not often ind see if you can find two bonnets ilike. A prize is offered for such discovery, but you are not likely to win it. More likely are you to find a blade of grass growing in the middle of the great shopping thoroughfare. How the makers and trimmers of bonnets manage to avoid duplication is mystery, but they do it. It is a tradition of the trade that every bonnet is work of art, standing alone and by tself. But all bonnets are not works of art, by any means. Some of them are about as far from art as they can get. But they are works of art in that each is built from an original design, as a picture is painted. Men'i turned out by machines and by the thousands, all alike. A woman's bonnet is like a painting. The picture may be a bad one, with inharmonious coloring, clumsy arrangement of forms outlandisliness of shapes. But it is ashioned by nimble fingers, and not by any machine, by fingers which never fashioned one bonnet just like another. Only the frames are machine made. Thousands of these are of like form and appearance. But the frame is only the foundation. The super structure is the bonnet. From Paris each season come hunof bonnets representing dreds the latest and presumably the bes

work of the fashionable milliners of that city of the modes. On the general lines of these Paris pattern bonnets Chicago milliners build their wares taking care to make no two alike, but to vary the detail, and to blend some of the features of one pattern bonne with some of the features of another thus making an entirely new article The manufacturing departments of the big wholesale millinery houses do make bonnets just alike, but in shipping them they take good care that no duplicates be sent to the same town. Ye vith all the care and all the precaution

to secure variety as infinite as the va-riety of womankind itself, it someimes happens in the operation of the aws of chance that a woman with ew bounet on her head will encounter pon the street or see in the show window of a milliner a bonnet so near like her own that upon a superficial examnation she can not distinguish the difference. What then happens? Why, the woman is "put out," or "mortified," or "knocked, silly," or becomes 'so mad that she could cry," according to the bent of her vocabulary. But this s not all that happens. The woman goes straightway to her home or to her nilliner, with such precipitateness that all other errands and purposes are

utterly neglected, and pauses not until a ribbon or a feather or an ornament has been taken from or put upon that bonnet, and its resemblance to the other entirely destroyed. When this but not before. In this we find another phase of that process of differentiation. which gives to the world infinite variety in the species bonnet. O, that natural selection and survival of the

ittest could apply as rigidly.—Chicago

Alarming Practices Which Are Altogethe Too much attention can not be bestowed on children's sleeping rooms. especially in the matter of pure air and sunlight. It is, above all, important to prevent foul and steamy vapors from the kitchen and laundry, damp emana tions from the cellar and the impurities from gas and other lights from concentrating there. Some means of ventilation are indispensable in every dwelling to prevent the rising of impure atmosphere toward the roof. Shut off the children's bedrooms from the rest of the house, and open a window somewhere near for the escape of

CHILDREN'S ROOMS.

the impure air. An alarming practice, and one altogether too prevalent, is the burning of lamps in children's bed-chambers, and this, too, all night with closed windows. Now, it should be known that the flame of a lamp consumes vitalizing portions of the air, and that a room in which a light has been burning for hours is not fit for sleeping in. In addition to this evil, a burning lamp produces another, and that is, restless slumber, as the light causes the brain to respond even through the closed eyelids, and thus make an effort which should be worded. Teach children to sleep in the dark, by all means. They must, of course, be prepared for bed by lamp light in winter, but the room may be nstantly purified after the lamp is exinguished by opening the windows and doors and letting in fresh, cool air. Teach a child also that it is just as safe from all harm in the dark as in the light, and that it will be healthier and appier, and it will believe it, because children have inexhaustible faith in the

nother's word. Never allow any on to tell children fear-inspiring, hobgob-in stories, and don't punish them by sending them or threatening to put them in dark places; thus you will be mabled easily to train them to sleep in

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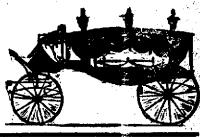
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Thursday, the rath day of April, 1988, at one glock in in of said day is unanimous.

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at one o'clock p in, of said day to nominate a Republican candidate for supreme judge to be yoted for at the judicial section to be held on Monday, June 4th, A.D., 1888. The convention will transact such other business as may come before it, hechiding the appointment of a judicial committee for the district to make its kepublican organization permanent.

The representation to such convention from the sey rad compress in the judicial district shall be the same as that fixed by the republican state central complities for the state convention.

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THERE IS one thing which tends to give a tinge of sadnoss to the rapid approach of spring. The base ball season is coming nearer and nearer.

MAINE Republicans have ordered 75,-1000 copies of the President's messico, to be used as campaign documents. Not to be outdone, the Democratic State Committee has ordered a similar number, and the probability now is that the people of Maine will be well supplied in that

Mr. Looke, the manager of the National Opera Company, says he sunk \$75,000 in that enterprise. But public ramor puts Mr. Locke's wealth, when he had hold of the enterprise, at about 75 cents. Probably Mr. Locke counts on the money he should have made in reaching his totals.

WHEN notified of his election as a member of the Democratic National Committee, Mr. William Steinway, the big plane manufacturer, said, "If the Democratic party is to commit itself to free trade, as indicated in the President's message, I am ready to join the Republican party. Such a policy would rum my

Ir the people of Decatur will make a good, healthy, concerted kick against the water iniquity there will be a remedy found. And it must be done now, before the city election. It will not answer to allow other questions to distract public attention, but it must be given out and understood that nobody can be elected to office in April who is not in favor of pure water above every other considera-

ZEPH. Davis the negro floud who committed the brutal murder of little Maggie Goughan, in Chiengo, a few days ago, is traveling towards the scaffold with as much alterity as any heastly villain ever made by the legal route. He has been indicted already, and the prophets are claiming that he will be hung in three months from the date of his crime. He cannot make the trip any too quick to suit the desires of every good person. NEW YORK Press: The fisheries dis-

putes are a legacy bequeathed by the Revolution. At the end of the War of -Independence Franklin and John Adams were unable to obtain un acknowledgement of the prescriptive right of New Englanders to fish in Canadian enters. Henry Clay and John Quincy Adams had to drop the point when arranging the Treaty of Chent in 1814. Five million dollars were recently paid by the United States to England under protest and avowedly to buy our poace. The whole question should be settled at once and forever. But the hereditary privileges of New England must not be saorificed to local privileges or focal in-

New York Tribune: One of the best tenches of humor, whether conscious or unconscious, ever seen in an official dec ument, is to be found in the report of the House Judiciary Committee on the bill making October 1 the meeting time of Congress. The committee report "that the proposed legislation would be injurious to the public interests, inarmuch as a large number of members of Congress are usefully employed in their several districts during the month of October in every alternate year in securing the election of suitable persons to represent their districts in Congress." The only possible improvement to be suggested in this is that after the words "every alternate year" the report should read "in gunning for delegates."

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MILLS' TARIFF BILL. The Important Measure Laid Be-

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Metals are to pay duties as follows: Pig iron, 39 per ton. Iron railway bars, \$11. Steel, ditto, \$11. Bar iron, rolled or hammered, % of icent per pound, not less than one inch wide and three-eighths of an inch thick; in larger measures, 1 cent per pound. Iron slabs, blooms, loops, 35 per cent. ad valorem. Iron bars, blooms, billets, in the manufacture of which charceal is used, \$50 per ton. Iron or steel T-rails, \$15 per ton. Round iron in coils or rods and rolled iron enumerated I cent per pound. Sheet-iron thin. i cent per fore the Ways and Means Committee Full Enunciation of Articles Placed

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rom 25 to 45 cents, according to size. Porcelain and Bohemian glass, stained glass,

Woolen and worsted cloths to 40 per cent

Flannels, blankets and knit goods 40 per cen

most voluminous parts of the bill and embrac

Upon the Free List-The List of Reductions. The Author of the Bill Extolis Its Ex-

cellence--Other Opinions on

the Subject.

WASHINGTON, March 2.-The chairman of the ways and means committee yester-day submitted to the full committee the Tariff bill, upon which the Democratic members have been at work for some months. The measure was immediately made public. The bill makes the following

be imported free of duty. The free list section is to take effect July 1, 1883: Timber hown or sawed and timber used for spars and in building wharves. Timber squared spars and in beliding wharves. Trimor adulted or sided Wood, manufactured, not specially enumerated or provided for. Sawed boards, planks, deals and all other articles of sawed lumber Hubs for wheels, posts, last blocks, wagon blocks, dar blocks, up blocks, heading blocks and all like blocks or sticks, rough have or seved only. Staves of wood, believes and applied to the same of seven only. hown or saved only. Staves of wood, pickets and pullings, laths, shingles, clapbonds, pinc or spruse logs; provided, that if any port duty is laid upon the above-mentioned articles, or either of them, by any country whence imported, all said articles imported from said country shall be subject to duty as now provided by law. Sait in bags, sacks, barrels or other packages, or in bulk, when imported from any country which does not charge an import duty upon sait experted from the United States Flax struw. Flax, not hackled or dressed, that hackled, known as dressed line; tow of flax or hemp, hemp, mantlin and other like sufficiently for hemp. Jute butts, jute, sunn, shall grass and other vegetable fibres. Burtleys, not exceeding sixty inches in width, of flag, jute or hemp, or of which flax.

fibres. Burlups, not exceeding sixty incress in whith, of thus, jute or hemp, or of which flax, jute or hemp, or either of them, shall be the compenent material of whist value. Bagging for ection or other manufactures, not specially enumerated or provided for in this set, suitable to the uses for which cotton bagging is applied, composed in whole or in part of hemp, jute, jute butts, flax, gunnybags, gunnyclother other material; provided that us to hemp and to the hands of consumers are revived. Duties on pucking charges are revived. What is known as the "similitude" clause of the tarif is re-enacted with such wording as to make clear enacted with such wording as to make clear when unenumerated articles can be chassined as assimilating to enumerated articles. Importers' declarations are substituted for importers' ouths in all customs matters, and importers are authorized to make declarations before notaries instead of at the custominte, jute butts, flax,gunnybags, gunnyciothor other material; provided that us to hemp and flux, jute, jute butts, sunn, and sisal grass and manufactures thereof, except burlaps not exceeding sixty inches in width and bag ging for cotton. Iron or uteel sheets or pintes, or taggers' iron, coated with the or lend or with a mixture of which house. The recommendations made as to prothests, appeals, and suits by Secretary Manning in a special report to Congress two years aga are all adopted. The penalties are made more stringent for bribery or feeing inspectors of these metals is a component part, by the dip these motals is a component part, by the unpling or any other process and commercially known as tin plates, terne plates and toggers' tin. Becowns, gelatine and all similar proparations. Olycerine, crude, brown or yellow. Fish time or Islugiass. Phosphorus. Soup stocks, fit only for use as such. Soap, hard and customs, or for any irregularities in spection of baggage. The Government authorized to bring suit for the value of merchandise fraudulently imported after such merchandise has passed into the hands of the importer. The other provisions are all of a stords, it only for use a start. Some specially enumerated or provided for Extract of hem lock and other bark used for tanning. Indigo, extracts of, and currente. Iodine, resublimed Licerce juice Oil, croton, hempseed and rape used oil Fluxecodor linseed oil Oil, cotton seed. The pill, as submitted, contains no provisions as to internal revenue, it being understood that the Democratic members are prepared to sub-mit an internal-revenue bill at an early day. Petroleum Alamina, alum, patentalum, alu substitute, sulphate of alumina and alur cake and alum in orystals or ground All is Mr. Mills On the Tariff Bill-Other Opinitations of natural mineral waters and all arti ions. Washington, March 2.—In an inter-

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tend to have a bill on that subject. It may be appended in the House to the general bill, but that I am unable to say just now. The customs dubies will be re-duced about \$55,080,017, and m such a way that the manufacturing industries of the country will have no cause for modloss crude state or metals unwrought or not specially commerated or provided for. Brick Vegetables in their actural state or in salt or brine. Cultory root, ground or unground, burnt or prepared accurs, and dandellon root, raw or prepared, and all other articles used at or intended to be used as coffse or subtitutes therefore and not specially cumerated or provided for Cocca, prepared or manufactured. Dates, planes and prunes, currants, seants or other Figs. Meats, game and poultry. Milk, fitch. Egg jelles Beans, peas and split peas. Pulp for paper mikers use. Hables, books and pumphlets, printed in other languages than linalarm. "The bill reduces the revenue by the closest estimate which can now be mad by about \$55,000,000, of which \$22,500,00 000,000 from woolens; \$1,900,000 from sugar; \$1,500,000 from earthen and glass-

come from extension of the free list; \$12, ware; nearly \$2,000,000 from metals; nearly \$500,000 from chemicals; \$500,000 from provisions; \$250,000 from cottons; mearly \$2.00) 000 from hemp, jute, etc. and about \$10,000,000 from sundries." The fellowing additional expressions were gathered from members of the ways

and means committee.

Mr. Mills-We believe we have com piled a bill which nobody dare defeat. It

Mr. Breckenridge, of Arkansas-It is a bill which will certainly pass.

Mr. MacMillan—The bill is subject to no reasonable objection. It does not injure single industry. Mr. McKinley-The bill is in line with the President's message, and worse. I must be defeated.

Killed by a Fremature Explosion. New York, March 2.—Two men were killed yesterday morning on Seventyfirst street, between Eighth and Ninth avenue, by the premature explosion of a blast. Their names are Patrick Foley and Michael Roilly.

A Short Session WASHINGTON, March 2 -The meeting of the House committee on ways and means yesterday lasted but five minutes. Bowond the distribution of copies of the

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nands were not conceded.

ons to their departure.

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by three hundred fellow-workmen previ-

THE FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

tion of the law.

Mr. Palmer introduced a bill, which was referred, to revive the grade of General of the

ferred, to review use grant army.

The resolution reported yesterday by Mr
Sherman, requesting the President to negoti
ate a treaty with China providing that no
Chinese laborers shall enter the United States,

was taken up and, after discussion, adopted.

Mr. Hoar offered a resolution calling upon the

The Dependent Pension bill was then taken

were trusts which had no connection with the tariff, such as oil trusts, whisky trusts and cot ton-seed trusts.

on-seed trusts.

Mr. Beck admitted that there were som

Air. Heek aumitted that their work of trusts outside of the tariff, but said that they existed whenever a monopoly grew so large that it could exist independent of the tariff.

Mr. Sherman controverted the idea tha

Mr. Sherman controverted the sues and trusts grew out of the tarift, and reminded Mr. Beck that foreign manufacturers sent theu goods to their agents in the United States under a trust, and hosisted that the great objectionable trusts of the country were either combinations in domestic articles, where there was no competition, as in cotton-seed, whisk and oil, or else where combinations of a few parallel arranged in foreign trade in a particular trade in a particular contract of the contra

brought the discussion back to tariff and revenue, and Senator Beck went on to say the the Democraty in the House furnished 128 vote, to take up the Tariff bill last session, while the Republican party furnished but iour, and they every Republican charged the Democracy with the control of the second to the se

ers containing lottery advertisements

An adverse report was also made on the bit prescribing the terms of office for persons em ployed in the civil service. Luid on the table The following reports from committees were

prevent the continued immigration of Chines laborers into the United States. Resolution calling on the Secretary of th

Interior for information in regard to the use

The House then proceeded to consider publi

The House then proceeded to consider public unitding measures, and bills for a building at Bridgeport. Conn., costing \$100,000, and one a Hoboken. N J. costing \$100,000, and one a Hoboken. N J. costing \$100,000, ever passed. Mr. Belmont called up the joint resolution accepting the invitation of the French republic for the United States to take part in the international exhibition to be held in Parts is 1899, and made a speech in favor of a promption accepting the invitation.

response accepting the initiation.

Mesers. McCreary (Ky.) Rayner (Md.) and
Hitt (Ill.) spoke in favor of accepting the invi

tation.

Mr. Adams (III.) while favoring the resolution, thought the House should not forget tha

tion, thought the House should not lorget the France discriminated against the importution of American hog products; and offered as amendment authorizing the Commissioner o Agriculture to prepare a statement for distri-bution at the Exposition, descriptive of Amer

numer at the Exposition, descriptive of American methods of raising and preparing pork fo, export.

Mr Hooker opposed thrusting forward a matter of this kind when accepting a courteou

The amendment, which appropriates \$25,00.

The amendment, which appropriate tector of the carry out its provisions was agreed to it committee of the whole.

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Mr. Behmont then called up the joint resolution authorizing the President to arrange; conference to be held in Washington in 1889 for the conference to be held in Washington in the conference to be held in the conference

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the purpose of promoting arbitration and en-couraging reciprocal commercial relations be-tween the United States and South Americar republics, which, after some discussion, wa-agreed to.

The committee then rose, and reported both joint resolutions to the House, and they were

The House then, at 5:15 p. m., adjourned.

Reducing Its Force to Cut Down Ex-

BOSTON, March 2.—The Jersey Central

Railroad Company is reducing its force of employes at all points on the line, to cut down expenses. Colonel James Moore, who has been with the company as chief of the civil engineering corps and for a time as superintendent, has been removed.

"Slippery Jim" Geary, a noted criminal, is once more in the Illinois peniten-

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tiary at Chester.

nvitation.

Mr. Cannon favored the amendment.

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seeding a measurement of two feet by nve feet, 15 cents per square foot; above the size named, 25 cents per foot. Unpolished eylinder, crown and common window-glass, 1 cent, to 1% of a cent per pound seconding to size. Cast polished-plate glass, unsilvered, from 2) to 40 cents per foot, according to size. Unsilvered, or looking-glass, the 45 cents according to size. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Gradually Improving Upon Their Train Service.

> New Men Being Rapidly Engaged, Who Will Not be Discharged to Replace the Strikers.

Paternal Letter From the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company to Its Former Employes.

sented and placed on file.

House till was passed to amend the act to re
strict ownership of real estate in the Territories
to American citizens, reserving legation prop-erty in the District of Columbia from the opera-Chicago, March 2.-A more confident air was manifested by the Eurlington strikers in this city yesterday than at any time since the commencement of the President Perkins Wednesday night in consenting to a conference with Chiefs Arthur and Sargeaut but a few hours after he had issued his ultimatum declaring that there was nothing to a:b trate, was glad to find any loop hole through which to escape from its present resolute posi-tion, and that, therefore, its back-down might be expected at any time.

steel T-rails, \$15 per ton. Round from in coils or rods and rolled from enumerated 1 cont per pound. Sheet-non thin. I cent per pound. Black taggers' Iron, 39 per cent. Hoop fron, 1 cent per pound. Cast from pipe, 6-10 of a cent per pound. Cast from pipe, 6-10 of a cent per pound. Nuls, 1 cent per pound. Tacks, 35 per cent. Anvils, anchors, etc., 1½ cents per pound. Hammers, tubes, sledges, axies, etc., ditto. Chains, 2 cents per pound. Saws, 39 per cent. Files, 35 per cent. Ingots and/blooms, 4-10 of a cent per pound Wire and manufactures thereof are left unchanged, provided that no duty exceeds 30 per cent. Old copper clippings, 1 cent per pound. Copper, unmanufacturel, 2 cents per pound. Lead 1½ cents per pound, in sheets, 2½ cents per pound. Nickel in ore, 1 cents per pound, 2 cents per pound. Nickel in ore, 1 cents per pound. Hollow-ware, 2½ cents per pound. Will make the per cent. The entite wood schedulo is subjected to 80 per cent. duty. Ali grades of sugar are reduced by an amount varying from one-fifth to one-fourth of the present duty. Cotton yarn is reduced to 35 and 40 per cent. Bleached linens to 25 per cent. Other yarns 25 per cent. Cotton cloth to 40 per cent. The manufactures of wool are reduced as follows: Woolen and worsted cloths to 40 per cent. Their hopes were raised, moreover, by a sensational local article, published in an afternoon paper, which stated that one Detwiler, the editor of a Kuights of Labor paper, had spent the moneng with Presint Perkins, General Payne and General Manager Stone; that Detwiler had been authorized by Arthur and Sargeant to walve all issues if the commany would concede the pay clause, and that an Plannels, blankets and knit goods 40 per cent.
Dress goods, partly of wool, 40 per cent. Readymade clothing, 45 per cent. Webbings, 50 per
cent. Carpets, 20 per cent. Paper and its
manufactures are generally reduced. Cartiages, 30 per cent. Watches, 25 per cent.
The administrative provisions constitute the amicable adjustment might be expected before night.

Although every other line of the history gave the lie to its reliability, the atrikers eagerly clutched at it and were jubilant accordingly.

From the officials of the Burlington it

most voluminous parts of the but and emorace the provisions compiled by Mr. Hewitt in the Forty-ninth Congress and Incorporated in the Morrison Tariff bill. Mr. Hewitt's provisions abolishing the office of merchant uppraiser and providing new methods of reappraisement are providing new methods of reappraisement are comitted.

The entire system of damage allowances on imported goods injured during transportation is abolished. The period for which imported merchandles can be kept in bonded ware-louses to extended from one to three years. The duties on boxes, carlors and other inside coverings of merchandles which pass into the hands of consumers are revived. Duties on pucking charges are revived. United which in the secont place, they are just to now perfectly able to arrange for the first place. They are just to the hands of consumers are revived. Duties on pucking charges are revived. What is known as the "similitude" clause of the train own perfectly able to arrange for the first place.

Just how the company looks upon the present situation is indicated by the folowing dispatch, which was wired to every superintendent and master mechanic upon the system:

The reports which have been sent out to our old engineers and others to the effect that the company is intending to yield the position it has taken are absolutely without foundation.

[Signed] H B STONE,

Genoral Manager. Mr. Stone said yesterday that the con-

erence of Wednesday night was not ought by him, and that no terms of compromise were offered or suggested. He did not think there would be any more conferences yet awhile. He had received no protests from any of the bondholders or stockholders of the road concerning its present policy, but, on the contrary, his course thus far had met the entire approval of the board of directors. He thought that by a week from Monday next, at the latest, every passenger and freight train on the load would be run ning as though no less had occurred.

The reports recoved during the day by General Passenger Agent Morton in dicated that the company was making substantial progres. The suburban trains were running on time, and so were the important of the through mails. Two trains were sent out of the local lumber district, while two more were un loading grain at the elevator for the first time since Faturday.

On the Illinois division more trains

were running than Wednesday. In lows the freight blockade had bee broken, twenty trains in addition to the passengers' being reported as running. A number of passenger and freight trains were running on the Nebraska di-vision, while on the Hannihal & St. Jos things were in better shape than Wednes-day. Two through freights had been started from Denver for Chicago, and altogether the freight blockade was consid-

ered as broken. The 250 engineers who arrived here Wednesday night from Pennsylvania, New York and other Eistein States wen through a rigorous examination yester day and not a man wa- rejected. such articles will not be materially in- thirds of the number were sent west, and the remainder will be retained. Many of the new men wear the button of the Knights. A large majority were from

the company said that another party of fifty left the same region last night. When asked what would be the attitude of the company toward their new men in the event of an amicable termination of the strike, Mr. Morton, who spoke in be half of Mr. Stone, said

"We feel that it is a great misfortune that our old engineers have been induced to give up their places, and it is with painful reluctance that we see the vacan-cles being rapidly filled by strangers. We desire to say, however, that whatever may be the outcome of the strike, we are not going to discharge any of our new men. If they prove competent, we wil keep them at all hazards.

A dispatch from Creston, la, received by General Manager Stone, says that at a meeting held Wednesday night, at-tended by thirty-one engineers, thirteen oted to return to work despite the Brotherhood, and eighteen to stay out. This is taken as an indication that the man in the country are weakening and that a break in the ranks is among the possibilities.

The company expect to be able to star! out its local freights from this city by Monday, and if it succeeds it will have gained a big point Meanwhile the met are quiet and peaceable, and express un unded confidence in the ability of their chiefs to bring about peace with honor. Very few were reported to have applied for their time checks yesterday, and at the Fourteenth Street Hall money seemed to be abundant.

More Engineers and Firemen for the Chl-cago, Burlington & Quincy-Re-ceived an / dvance.

PITTSBURGE, Pa., March 2.—Thirty eight Knights of Labor engineers from the Reading railroad passed through here yesterday en route to Chicago. A Union Station official, who has kept a rec-Union Station official, who has kept a record, says that five hundred engineers and firemen have passed through here for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad.

The employes of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis, Chicago, St. Louis & Pittsburgh, Jeffersonville, Madison & Pittsburgh, Jeffersonville, Madison & Intercepts, Indianapolis, & Vincennas dianapolis, Indianapolice & Vincennes and the Little Miami maircad (Penneyl-vania Company's lines) have received ar advance which will amount to \$27,500 s

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### FOREIGN NEWS.

year. The men on the Cieveland & Pitts-burgh railroad and the Pittsburgh di-vision of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad (Pennsylvania Com-pany) are disantisfied because their de-mands were not conceded What it Costs an English Commissioner to Spend a Few Months Abroad. SHAMORIN, Pa., March 2.—Thirty ex Philadelphia & Reading railroaders left here yesterday to take positions on the Emplication. They want to continue the continue of the conti

e Prince of Wales Pursued by Fenlans While Yachting at San Remo -- The Crown Prince.

Count De Lesseps' Report on the Cost, Cause of Delay and Progress of the Panama Canal. WASHINGTON, March 2.—The credentists of Mr. Wilson (Is.), and Mr. Waithall (Miss.), for terms commencing March 4 1869, were pre-

Great Britain.

LONDON, March 2.—In the House of Commons last night, Henry J abouchers riticised, the credit of \$32 500 for ex penass of Mr. Chamberlain's mission as excessive. Under Secretary Ferguson said it was smaller than that of any sim-Har mission preceding it. Mr. Gladstone applauded Mr. Chamberlain as a man of eminent ability, competent to grasp the question under consideration. The credit was approved-814 to 68. A SIGNIFICANT OMISSION.

LONDON, March 2.—The Lancet com

Mr. Hoar offered a resolution contragation of the Scoresapy of the Treasury for the correspond ence in respect to frauds in the imports of sugar at the port of New York within the past two years, and to any meladministration in the New York Custom-house in relation thereto ments upon the omission of official bul-letins regarding the condition of Crown Prince Frederick William, and regrets that it is forced to the conclusion that h s proceeding from bad to worse.

The Dependent Pension bill was then taken up, the pending question being on the amend ment offered yesterday by Mr. Wilson (Ia.) to add the words: "From the infirmities of ago." Mr. Beek spoke in opposition to the amend ment, asserting that it would cost the Govern ment five hundred million dollars. Branching off on the question of trusts, he was asked several questions by Senator Blair, and in replying to them referred to the Senator from Nov. Hampshire as an advocate of trusts and one A GLOOMLY VIEW OF THE CASE.
SAN REMO, March 1.—Owing to the lepression exhibited by the Crown Prince. his physicians now take a gloomy view of his case. The patient passed a good night and felt slightly better to day. It is stated that he suffers from dyspepsia. Hampshire as an advocate of trusts and com CHASED BY PENIANS NEW YORK, March 2.—The World's Lon "That is putting me in a false position," ex claimed Mr. Blair, "They are abhorrent to

don special says the Chronicle prints a story that while yachting at San Romo, ne. They are malicious: they are absorrent to of the good of the country, and they ought to be destroyed."
"That is an important admission," said Mr. the Prince of Wales was pursued Fenians in a steam eacht, bearing the American colors. A B itish gunboat saw Beck; but how can they be destroyed? By re-ducing the tariff, which alone makes their the Prince's danger and came to the res Mr. Sherman reminded Mr. Beck that there and after a long chase escaped from the France

THE PANAMA CANAL. Paris, March 2:—At a meeting of the Panama canal directors yesterday Count De Lesseps reported that the increased cost of the canal was due solely to the illwill of their opponents, which caused higher rates for borrowing money. The difficulty of obtaining workmen and en-forced idleness during the rainy season had caused delays, so that it would be 1890 before the canal would be finished Pending the decision of the government and oil, or else where combinations of the people engaged in foreign trade in a particular article.

Mr. Heck, continuing his speech, drifted away into the demonstitation of silver, and held Mr. Sherman responsible for it.

Questions from several Republican Senatory and the demonstration and the statement of the services heads to taking and rev regarding the lottery loan, the company had decided to issue six hundred million francs more of bonds. The report was

THE GRACIOUS ANSWER.

A Paternal Letter from the Legigh Coal
& Navigation Company to Its
Former Employes.

PHILADELPHIA, March 2.—Some of the
former employes of the Lehigh Coal &
Navigation Company, having requested
transit he officials a statement of the terms from the officials a statement of the terms upon which work will be resumed at the mines, the following reply, signed by President J. S. Harris, was issued yesterday, and will be posted at the company

every Republican charged the Democracy with not bringing forward a bill to teduce taxation Mr. Plumb spoke of Mr. Beek's speech a "boxing the compass," denouncing all tariffs and ending by saying that he was not a free trader. "Every Senator on the Democratiside," Mr. Plumb said, "took precious good care of every industry in his own State, increasing the tariff on it every time he had a chance Zine, a Missouri product, had had the support of Mr. Vest in 1833. Hemp, a Kentucky product was supported by Mr. Beck, who was not free trader at all, except from the lips: and rice was supported by the Senators from North and South Carolinas." As to trusts, he reminded Mr. Beck, that the first of them—the whisky trust—originated in Kentucky, and The Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company is asked by certain men who desire employment to state upon what conditions it will resume work at its collieries. It answers that, owin work at its colleries. It answers man, owing to the long suspension of mining, it can not at once produce coal on as large a scale as hereto fore or employ as many mon, but it is willing to got its mines ready to resume work and to give employment to men and hows as fast as it can profitably do so. It will employ all persons who may be sufficiently skilled in the verious branches of work to be done without whisky trust-originated in Hentucky, and furnished a model for the Standard Oil Trust set up in the neighboring State of Ohio. Without reaching a vote on the pending amendment, the Senate, at 5:30 p. m., ad who may be suinciting without in the various branches of work to be done without regard to whethor they may heroto fore have been in its service or not, retaining, of course, such persons as are now at work in their present positions so long as their services shall be safefactor; to the comment of the present positions are not their services shall be safefactor; to the comment of the present of the comment of the comment of the present of the comment of the present of the comment of the comment of the present of the comment of the present of the comment of the comment of the present of the comment of the present of the comment of the comment of the present of the comment of the present of the present of the comment of the present o HOUSE.

The House passed Senate bill transferring to the Porter Academy of Charleston, S. C., certain Government property formerly used as as pany. It has no feeling in legard to the great majority of men who were formedly in its employ, except those of sorrow that they wern misled, and of sympathy for themselves and their wives and children, and will be glad to see them again at work, but it will not promise a complexity necessary who must be past have The following bills were reported from con mittees
Providing for the exchange of mutilated coins of smaler denominations than one dollar for new coins Calendared. To prohibit the coinage of three-dollar gold employment to persons who in the past have abused the positions held by them to create An adverse report was made on the bill pro hibiting transmission through the mails o

dissension between the company and its work men, or who have attempted to incite to vio-lence or intimidation toward those who desired again, if opportunity shall be given them.

The company expects to continue its accus tomed course of justice and kindness, knowing Resolution calling on the President for in committee as to a but steps have been taken t

> employers. It will us in the past, consider questions of compensation that may be presented to it by its employes, and will still make proper allowances when exceptionally difficult work shall call for temporary special rollef in contract rates: but the experience of eleven years shows that it can not possibly give its workmen a larger share of the money realized from sales of coal, for, after deducting from this unm the small revalty of ten cents per ton on all coal larger than buckwheat coal, and the actual depreciation in value of its improvements from decay of the structures and exhaustion of the mine openings, it has not in the best year suce it recurred control of its mines in 1877, made a profit of twenty two and abolt control and a profit of twenty two and a bolt control of a second or the second of the second or the second of the second or the second a half cents a ton, and in the worst year it paid all that remained for wages and supplies, and made no profit at all. It, therefore, can not atmade no profit at all. It, therefore, can not afferd to, and it will not, change the basis of wages, nor the rule by which the compensation of its inside men is dedured from the price at which Lehigh coal may sell from time to time at Ports Johnston and Elizabethport.
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> Although the return for its large investment in coal lands and coal improvements is not such as it is fairly entitled to receive, it is willing for the present to continue its operations with-

for the present to continue its operations with outinsisting that the rates of payment for labor shall be reduced, but it finds it entirely imposshall be reunous uble to increase them raigned) J. S. HARRIS, President.

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Tinee Black Boucles, Astrachan Trimmed, Sizes 32, 34 and 38, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Two Brown Corded Beavers, Beaver Trimmed, Sizes 32 and 49, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Two Drabbed Beavers, Astrachan Trimmed, Sizes 33 and 48, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Three Brown Beavers, Sizes 32 and two 34, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Four Brown Rough Beavers, Sizes 32, 34, 8c, and 8, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Four Brown Beavers, Sizes 35, 34, 8c, and 8, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Four Black Rough Beavers, Sizes Two 32, Two 34 and 35, Sold For Twenty Dollars.
Four Black Diagonal Beavers, Velvet Trimmed, Sizes Three 32 and 40, Sold For \$30.
Three Brown Cloaks, Velvet Trimmed, Sizes 34, 16 and 40, Sold For \$30.
Two Black Beavers, Plush Trimmed, Sizes 34 and 40, Sold For \$18.
Two Black Beavers, Plush Trimmed, Sizes 34 and 40, Sold For \$18.

### LOT THREE--YOUR CHOICE FOR EIGHT DOLLARS.

One Plain Black Beavet, Size 38, Sold For Fiftee 1 Dollars.
Four Black Diagonal, Astrachan Trimmed, Sizes 30, 32, 38 and 40, Sold You Fifteen Dollars.
Two Brown 60 and 32, Sold For Fifteen Dollars.
60 and 32, Sold For Fifteen Dollars.
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Taking effect Monday, March 5th, the Wabash Railway will run frain 41 leaving Toledo 10-20 a m. as a through Kansas City fast train with through chan car. GOING WEST, FRANCE GOING BASE, LEAVE

GOING WPS1, I RAYE GOING EAST, LEAVE Defiance I 205 p m; Kansas City 6 30 p m; Ft. Wayne I 50 p m; Decatur. 6 25 a m; Huntington 2 20 p m; Denville 9 00 a to Wabash 3 00 p m; Lafayette 10 45 a m; Peru 3 20 p m; Logansport . 11 47 a m; Logansport 2 15 p m; Pere ... 12 12 p m; Deiphi 4 21 p m; Ft. Wayne 1 25 p m; Lafayette 4 58 p m; Arriving at Company at Company

A through sleeping car will run on these trains between Decatic and Kansas City Additional local passenger trains will be run, stepping at all stations, one leaving LaFayette at 7 a m. arriving at Ft. Wayne at 11 a.m. re-LaFavette at 8 p. m., another, leaving Toledo at

7 a m., arriving at Ft Wayne at 10.30 a. m., re-turning leave Ft. Wayne at 4 p. m., arriving at Epidemic. Beautiful, elegant, rich, artistic, and so cheap! are the exclamations of all who

have seen the new styles of Carpets, Wall Decorations and Curtains at Abel's Carpet Store. Throughout Central Ill-inois this sentiment is epidemic. ALL leading grocers sell Shellabarger & Co.'s popular White Loaf and Doily Bread flour.

Tun latest kink in ladies' foot gear are the variagated over-gaiters to match suits —any kind you want. They are conducive to health and comfort. Full assortment at Powers & Haworth's store.

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Morehouse, Wells & Co. are con stantly receiving new patterns, in Wood, Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fine Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything pertaining to this one. No larger or more complete assortnent can be found elsewhere.

Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Leh-man's. feb16-dawtf \$2.50 per week, for twelve weeks, will pay for a full course in shorthand and type-writing or book-keeping at Central Business College, 252 North Water street, H. Nelson, Principal.

LADIES' NEWPORTS with over-gaiters to match suits are the correct thing this spring. Full line of these stylish goods now in stock at Powers & Haworth's.

THE Maileable Iron Hollow Ware made by the Home Comfort Bange Co., is quite a curiosity. It is like the Hanges—indestructible. Stop at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s and see this ware. It cannot be

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Wednesday, March 7. THE MAGICAL ATTRACTION,

THE EARLY BIRDS

A Company from all parts of the World' The Great st Amusement Enterprise before the Public, Including. Zittella, Jolly Nash, Mile. Lola Fenelon, The King Sisters, Flynn and Zittella, Nubar Hassan, Eight New Sports in Town, Joe Garland, from Dockstader's

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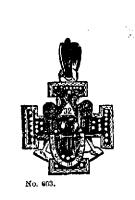
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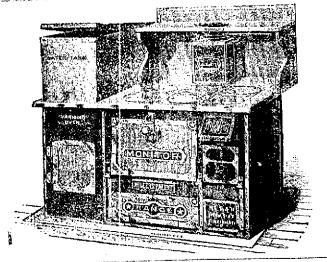
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letter from Auton Huebler, chief of police at St. Louis, conveying the gratify-SPECIALTIES. ing information that the Frank Powers a sneak thief, had been found in that city. Some days ago Mr. Mason sent Chief night. Recently he has taken to mutter-Windsor, Mocha and Java COFFEES PRINCESS TEA. adds "I have hopes of catching the thief,

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Pilisbury's Best Flour,

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FRIDAY EVE., MARCH 2, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS

For dinner and ten sets, go to E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

THERE will be 44 graduates of the high

Use Hatfield & Co.'s White Foam flour

52 DEGREES above zero this morning

and cloudy. The frost is ouzing out of

CORN! CORN! CORN! See George W

Tau Minnie Palmer troupe were enter-

ained at the St. Nicholas and New Dem-

REV. T. DEWITT TALMAGE will lecture

THE Alpha Literary Circle will meet at

the Woman's club rooms on Saturday af-

Spring goods at Muleady & Son's

JOHN IRWIN received orders this morn-

Last week the firm of D. S. Shellabar-

ger & Co. sent a ton of their flour to the

lot went down in 50-pound sacks and was

Thomas Lee, Attorney at Law, has moved his office to No. 127 South Water street, opposite the court house. 1-d\*

OFFICER BAILEY was the guardian of

Minnie Palmer's diamonds. For awhile

the costly gems were in the safe at the

SELECT fresh meats, fresh fish, vege

tables and fruits at George Ruebsamen's

THREE bundred people attended the

nules at \$800, and cows at \$80 to \$45.

MRS. JOHN H. DANIELS, formerly

carried in Decatur. Also patent leather Newports in A, B and C widths, and

THE Illinois Central "fast mail" train

when trains will arrive from the north.

TRADE with the Moore Bros', grocers in

opera block. All orders promptly filled.

CORN! CORN! CORN! See George W.

Fon all kinds of bread, pies, cakes and rolls, go to the bakery of Aungst & Dow-ling, 533 North Morgan street. None

THE choice Edam cheese is on sale at

J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store.

Save time and trouble by calling at

Russelli has opened a corresponding

Shorb's place on North Main street.

his mind to send out for just twenty-five

cents worth of Salvation Oil, the main

THEY say the average politician is get-

ting hoarse talking about tariff and no

tariff; but he cures his cold every night

with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and begins

Decatur Lecture Course.

James Whitcomb Riley.

Opera House,

Thursday Evening, March 8th.

Reserved Scats 35c at Prescott's-Gallery 25c.

If I have a friend on a lecture commit-

tee in the United States this season, I want to whisper in his ear that one of the

ack again the same season.

There is nothing but pure gold about

Riley, and whatever he says is worth listening to. No lecture course is complete without him.

ROBT. J. BURDETTE.

ROBT. J. BURDETTE.

DEAR PUBLIK: I take extreem delite in introdusing 2 yure imediate notis mi yung and handsum friend, Mr. James Whitkum Riley, who is a phunny man of purest ray sereen. He is the only man ikno that plays his own hand, or, in wurds less profeshonal, the only man that gives his own produxions, and not other folks'. He is phunner than tung kan tell.

Yures without a struggle.

JOHN BILLINGS.

afresh next morning with the lark.

better in the city.

"Gerolium."

Newports, at Powers & Haworth's

store on the Mound.

Kansas, on February 28.

cyclone sufferers at Mt. Vernon. The

no doubt gratefully received.

ternoon, March 3, at two o'clock.

in Decatur, March 14. Mar2-dtdwlt

"SI PERKINS" this evening.

chool this year.

the ground nicely.

and you will be happy.

restored to Curtis and Bros. in due time The Miller-Widick Wedding. Married, At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Troutman, Thursday evening, Maroh 1st, at 8 o'clock, at Bearsdale, Ill., by Rev. G. Cunningham, of Warrensburg, Ill., Mr. Jeremiah Miller, of Bearsdale, and Mrs. Phoebe Widck, of Decatur.

and will advise you." Possibly the watch

This morning Marshal Mason received

The wedding march was played by Miss Etta Troutman, and the supper was carefully prepared by friends of the bride. All present partock in perfect good humor. The bride were a beautiful brown surah silk trimmed in plush. The groom wore the conventional black. Guests present were Mrs. J. N. Keefer, of Warrensburg: Misses Fannie and Ettie Miller, sisters of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Asa Gulick, brother and sister of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. John Lehman, Miss Ella Ford, John and Oran Gulick, May, Ettie and Frank Miller. The reception was held to-day at the home of the groom.

Who Wants a Boy? MR. EDITOR:-Mrs. Smith, residing in part of A. Bradshaw's house on Spring Avenue, Decatur, has a grandson 11 years old. She as well as the boy is anxious to get a home for the boy on a farm. She other boys. He is a very nice boy-likes to feed and handle stock.

Coming.

On Wednesday evening next come The Early Birds Novelty and Burlesque Co." The company includes John "Jolly" Nash, Flynn and Zitella, Miss Maude Chatwood, Franks and Marion, Nuber Hassan, and others, numbering 20 in all. The .performance will conclude with the intensely amusing travesty on the popuar novel by H. Ridder Haggard, "She, or once in a thousand years." Written expressly for the "Early Birds" by Messrs. ing to hoist the cold wave flag-a fall of Harry Emmit and Gov. Ad. Byan. Music by Fred Solomon. PRESCOTE will give you bargains in Haines Bros', pianos—the best in the

THE success attending the organizaion of the Fifth Ward Republican Club seems to be troubling the Cleveland worshippers. It might be well for their organ, however, not to put too much trust in its volunteer reporters. It is a fact that their zeal sometimes gets away with their veracity. Meantime the Fifth Ward Club will go on, just as though the Democratic alphabet did not have a Vowel in it.

"Rats." There was a little scare at the county

iail last evening between 7 and 8 o'clock caused by a peculiar scratching and the barking of a dog in the basement under the stone part of the prison. A telephone nessage was sent to the police headquar John Krieg stock sale near Elwin on tere for a "policeman to come over at Thursday, at which Col. Thornhill was nce." Marshal Mason and Officer Butts auctioneer, the sale aggregating \$3,000. got there in quick time, finding the dog Horses sold at \$140 to \$200; a pair of in the basement barking viciously at nothing. It is believed that the dog was Buy reliable groceries at Niedermeyer's making war on rate, but at the beginning of the noise Mrs. Mauzy thought some-Stor at Hanks & Patterson's family body was trying to break in or out of the store on South Water street for good groiail. As the officers went over on double | The Throat and the Voice.... ceries and vegetables. Everything firstquick time they had visions of the presence of a lynching party from Piatt county, but fortunately they didn't have Decatur, died of pneumonia, at Marion, to contend with such an unruly element. The Mouth and the Teeth.

During the forty-eight years of the exstence of the foreign board of the Presbyterian church, 453 missionaries, of all classes, have been engaged in the mis- The Last War Trall sions east and west of the Mississippi from the north was over four hours late river. The foreign board has expended to-day. The Central is making a bril-\$520,000, the free gift of the churches, beliant record this winter in the matter of running trains regardless of schedule time. No one knows, not even the agent, ernment for educational work.

Mr. J. M. CLOKEY was abroad in the city to-day distributing handsome lithograph maps of the East Park Boulevards, including a railroad map and a sketch of Decatur. It is a fine advertisement not only for Mr. Clokey's pretty addition of

residence lots, but also for Decatur. THE disturbance case against Fred Behrend was dismissed in Justice Odor's court this morning by the defendant pay-

CAPT. FRANK WELLS visited Springfield Powers & Haworth's for the most com-plete assortment of shoes for infants, girls this week. If trouble arises from the strike on the C., B. & Q. road, possibly and misses—spring heels and solar tips.
All widths—sure to suit you. 28-d1w the militia will be called out to protect

A MEETING for the study of the Sunday school lesson, for next Sunday will be office at the Brown House, 318 East Main held in the lecture room of the First M. street, for the purpose of finding lost riends and relief for everybody. 125-d6\* E. church this evening at 7:30, conducted Buy good coal and wood at W. H. by Rev. James Miller, who will give a fitteen minutes talk on the lesson to be followed by a general discussion. Every-MEETING of the Central Republican body invited.

club Saturday night at the office of the Dr. J. F. Rem will make a trip through county superintendent of schools in court the southern part of the state next week to look after glandered horses. His re-"Bur oh! what damned minutes tells he o'er" who suffers, but waits; who port will be incorporated in that of the state board of live stock commissioners. writhes, yet moans, before he makes up

"Si Perkins" To-Night. Frank Jones and his company have arrived to give "Si Perkins" to-night. The Peoria Transcript had this to say of the performance there:

Frank Jones followed immediately on the heels of his namesake and gave a very good performance under the title "Si Perkins, or the Threshing Machine Agent." Mr. Jones himself is a very good comedian, and kept the audience in a continual titler when he was on the stage. A number of eatirely new jokes and hughable incidents are thrown into the performance, and Mr. Jones carries out the idea of the typical, old fashioned Southerner in good shape. Miss Alice Montague made a very good Zana, and Miss Virginia Fisher as Betsy Ruggles was a complete success. Willie Ryan as the sen of the Widow Ruggles acted his part very fairly and showed his ability to shake his feet in a splendid manner. The rest of the company was fair and the Frank Jones followed immediately on want to whose in make will be to surprise his audience with J. W. Riley. The peo-ple that once listen to him will want him

rest of the company was fair and the evening's entertainment a good one. A new comedy character has been intro-duced to take the place of the Irishman, the Dutchman and the Yankee. EXCELLENT groceries to suit you every

day at Knode & Osborne's handy store Leave orders with this firm, No good excuse to drink beer now You can quench your thirst from the fountains in Lincoln Square. The water is right from the bottom of the well, clear

to be executed on the last Friday of the present month for the murder of William Gross must feel rather skittish at pres-\$100 watch, stolen from O. E. Curtis & ent. It is represented by his companions Co's jewelry store about 10 days ago by in jail that while he is hopeful and gay preachers to drive her from the town. These colminated on Sunday in an attack while awake, he is anything but quiet at

Huebler a description of the watch and a ing unintelligible words while asleep to personal letter, and consequently the such an extent as to occasion remark. chief made a special effort resulting in the There is no night of late that he rests discovery of the time-piece. The chief peacefully. Unless the courts interfere just four weeks from to-day he will be hung. His attorneys are about ready was located in a pawn-shop. It will be with the printed record to go before one of the supreme court judges to petition for a supersedeas. They are confident of securing the writ, which will put off the day of execution indefinitely and give the defendant time to go before the full bench to have the case reviewed in the hope of securing a new trial. Meantime anxiously awaiting the result of the efforts of his attorneys and friends in his

> WE are in receipt of the pamphlet of the American Short Horn Breeders' association, giving a synopsis of the business years 1885, 1886 and 1887, the by-laws and rules of entry and other matters of interest to stockholders. It comes from Hon. J. H. Pickrell, secretary, Room 17, Montank Block, 115 Monroe street, Chicago. A committee of the board of supervis-

ors and the bondsmen of James D. White leceased, late treasurer of Christian county, after a two days' conference, made settlement Wednesday. The county accepts \$1,000 m cash and orders, etc., to the amount of about \$1,200 more in full of its claim. White died in 1886, owing the county, it is claimed, \$3,600, for which does not want to put him where there are suit was brought in the circuit court against the bondsmen with result.

ALBERT F. Ross has sold to Samuel G. Braden 80 acres of land in 32, 18, 2,

The County Court. This morning Judge Nelson discharged the jury in attendance at the February term of the county court, all of the jury cases having been disposed of. Other

cases are to be heard.

S. E. Smith for the use of J. Millikin & Co. vs. Dan H. Davis and S. E. Warrick; assumpeit. Verdict of the jury, issues for the plaintiff and damages placed at \$322.63. Defendants entered a motion for a new trial.

THE gallery was not out last night in force to see Minnie Palmer in her new play "My Brothers Sister," but there was a large first floor audience. The play is nest and clean, enlivened by songs and dances, new stage business and cutting domestic scenes. Miss Palmer didn't make a lavish display of her costly diamonds, but she appeared in five different costumes, personating a bootblack, a simple maiden, a girl of fashion with the slang of the street, a swell sailor cadet, and at last the daughter of a baron. Twice was the lady called before the curtain. Miss Palmer is not the equal of Annie Pixley or Lotta, but she is quite clever in her spirited style. The Frenchman of McManus was superbly given. The balance of the support was good.

The Public Library. The following is the list of new books placed on the shelves in the Public

Library ready for distribution Saturday morning: America's Health Primers-10 Volumes The Skin in Health and Disease...L. D. Bulkley Hearing and How to Keep It..... C. H. Burnett Ryesight and How to Care for It ... G. C. Harian School and Industrial Hygiene ... D. F. Lincolt Sea Air and Sea Bathing...... Kansas, on February 28.

Ladius' patent leather shoes in B, C while the police went through the baseand D widths, something never before ment.

The turnkey remained at the jail door Brain-Work and Overwork.......H. C. Wood What the Wind Told to the Tree Tops...... Trlumphant Democracy..... Andrew Carnegle A Bundle of Letters for Rusy Girls...

.....Grace H. Dodge .... George Ebers Elsie's Kith and Kin. Mrs. Forreste: sides \$520,000 intrusted to it by the gov-Once Again ...: ceana, England and Her Colonics...... Ducen Money ... . Mrs. S. J. Higginson Miss Jones' Quilting Party..... Marietta Holley The Throne of David ..... Rev. J. H. Ingrahum 

Roddy's Reality...

Wonders and Curiosities of the Rallway... .. W. S. Kennedy The Inquisition of the Middle Ages—Vol. 2 George Macdonal Reminiscences of Frederick Froebei.... . Baroness B. Von Marenholtz-Bulow lizabeth Gilbert ..... Frances Martin Magnificent Plebian ...... Edith's Ministry. II. B. McKoever
Life of O. M. Mitchel F. A. Mitchel
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Great Hosiery Bale.

inglish Masterpiece Course......A. H. Welsh

We will put on sale to-morrow morn ing, March 1st, 100 Dozen Misses' and and Children's Hose, embracing an elegant assortment of fancy colors—stripes, pink, blue, brown, and other solid colors. at Just Half Cost Prices. These goods are full regular made seamless goodsbest that can be be made; worth originally \$3 to \$4.50 per dozen. We offer them at 15c, 20c and 25c respectively, in sizes from 41/2 to 8. Don't miss the opportunity. 29-d6w1 Big 18.

THE Western Cyclone Washing machines do the work. Buy one at Lytle & Echele' store.

New Goods Just Arrived. New Goods Just Arrived.

A large invoice of Spring and Summer Millinery Goods, direct from New York, comprising all the latest shapes in Hats and Bonnets, Ribbons and Silks, in the new Ombre effects; Pompons, Ornaments and Embroidered Gimps, in all the new colors, and a large assortment of French Hat and Bonnet Frames. We limite the ledies to cell at invite the ladies to call at Mrs. K. Elastein's,

\_ 110 North Water st. Tax buggy or carriage you want is D. F. Hamsher's shop on Wood street.

ment caused by Mrs. Maria B. Woodworth, the faith cure evangelist, at Chamberaburg, Pa., already at fever heat, has been intensified by the efforts of the

O'Reilly, who from the pulpit denounced Mrs. Woodworth and her so-called faith cures. Rev. J. Hamburger also denounced the evangelist at her own meetings, charging her with laboring for money, but Mrs. Woodworth retorted in such bitter tones that the preacher was forced to leave the hall. The meetings last week were held in the association buildings, soon to be dedicated to the use of the Y. M. C. A., but the association was so much opposed to her that the hall is closed against her, and meetings will henceforth be held in the United Brethren church. Westbrook will remain in the county jail In spite of the denunciations of orthodox preachers and their sermons against her, she is still working her marvelous faith cures, and announces her intention of erecting a permanent tabernacle at Chambershurg for her followers to worship in. Mrs. Woodworth intends to commence etings at Decatur within a few months.

on Mrs. Wookworth by Rev. Father

City Attorney Mills was at Lovington H. C. Anthony arrived in the city this

PERSONAL MENTION.

Geo. Topping, of Union Iron Works, left for Warrensburg this morning. Mrs. G. R. Steele and son Charles have returned home from Chicago. B. Stine and S. Packard are now at San Jose, Cal., and both are in good

health. V. N. Hostetler, who has been making a tour of the far western cities, got home

Frank H. Jack and Will Jack, of Peoria, brothers of Postmaster Jack, are in the city on business.

Dan Bohon has been engaged as a salesman for the Austin dry goods and clothing store soon to be opened in the Gallagher block.

Mrs. Dr. Cass Chenoweth arrived home ast evening from Boscobel, Wis., where he visited her mother and sister.

Solon Royal and family will soon remove from Maron to Decatur. Mr. R. represents the Aultman & Taylor implement firm at this point. Miss Annie Rowland, of Quincy, daugh

ter of Maj. Rowland, superintendent of the Soldiers' Home, is in the city, visiting Mrs. Nellie Johns-Moore. Smith Walker, late of the Nationa

bank, goes to Bethany to become cashier in A. R. Scott's new bank. Mrs. D. W. Heilman is at Indianapolis

Ind., visiting her mother, Mrs. Jones. She will be absent several weeks. George Waddell, of Niantic, has been appointed railway postal clerk and will commence climbing the ladder by throw-

W. J. Scanlan, the Irish comedian, is growing rich, and owns more property in New York city than any other actor. When a man grows wealthy by singing "Peek a Boo" there is need of social reorganization. But then Scanlan can sing -no question about that. Urbana Herald: Miss Sue Dimock and

Miss Helen Foster, of Decetur, formerly residents of this city, were the guests of Mrs. A. H. Bryan last week. They are on their way to the Bermuda Islands, where they will remain for the benefit of Miss Foster's health.

Mr. Powner's school at Niantic gave an entertainment at the town hall last night, for the benefit of the school library. The attendance was so great that many were unable to gain admission to the house. All present were highly delighted with the programme, and give much credit to Mr. Powner and his pupils. Dissolution.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Boynton & Williamson, in the saloon business on South Water street, is dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Williamson retiring. Ben Boyn ton will continue the business at the old stand, and will pay all bills contracted by

Decatur Lecture Course. 6th Ecutertainment James Whitcomb Riley.

Opera House, Thursday Evening, March 8th. Reserved Scats ase at Present's—Gatlery 25c.
If I have a friend on a lecture committee in the United States this season, I want to whisper in his ear that one of the best hits he can make will be to surprise his audience with J. W. Riley. The people that once listen to him will want him back again the same season.

There is nothing but pure gold about Riley, and whatever he says is worth listening to. No lecture course is comlistening to.
plete without him.
ROBT. J. BURDETTE
ROBT. J. SURDETTE

DEAR PUBLIK: I take extreem delite in introdusing 2 yure imediate notis mi yung and handsum friend, Mr. James whithum Riley, who is a phunny man of purest ray sereen. He is the only man i kno that plays his own hand, or, in wurds less profeshonal, the only man that gives his own produxions, and not other folks. He is phynnier than those ken tell.

Yures without a struggle.

Josu Billings. Property For Sale.

The W. J. Condell residence property at the corner of West Eldorado and Church streets, is offered for sale. The lot has a frontage of 95 feet on Church street and is 154 feet deep, one of the few desirable corner lots in the city. There are two dwellings on the lot, one of seven rooms and the other six. Good well and double cisterns. Apply to the owner at 506 North Church street. 29-d2w Choice Clover Seed.

We have on hand 150 bushels choice clover seed which we will dispose of at \$4.50 per bushel at our mills. Call and before purchasing elsewhere.

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ne residence of J. C. Marshall, No. 1104 N street, by J. Q. A. Odor, J. P., Mr. B. F and Miss Mary E. Cornelius, both o

Go to Powers & Haworth's fashionable boot and shoe store for bargains. 28-d1w For a nobby, stylish suit, go to Mu leady & Son's.

Chicago Gram Market. The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, re-

ceived by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.: WHEAT -7534 Mar; 7614 April; 80% May; 80% June. Coen-48% Mar; 48% April; 52½ May; 52 June. OATS-281/2 Mar; 29 April; 31% May;

31% June. Ponk—\$14.05 April; \$14.10 May; \$14.17 June. 1.ABD 87.72 April; \$7.77 May; \$7.87

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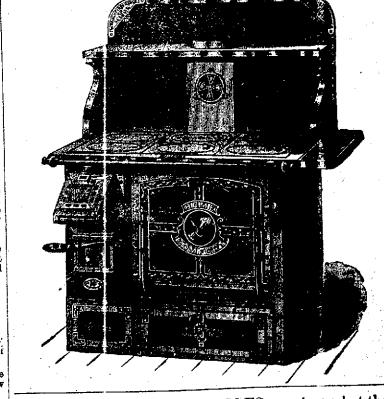
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June.
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hose 17,000; prospects steady.
Cattle, 6,000; prospects stronger.
Car Lote—Wheat; winter, 2; spring.
31. Corn, 178. Oats, 59.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1888.

At 2 p. m., on the premises, without limit or reserve, the block of ground located at the corner of West the truth of which is vouched for by the Main and Pine streets, now occupied by A. Wait as a old, have been troubled with kidney comresidence. It will be subdivided into 8 lots, four front- plaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help.

ing on West Wood street and four on West Main street, with a frontage of 50 feet each.

If you want the best residence lots in the city wait until March 22, and make your own price and terms.

Parties purchasing can make to make the city wait ingen's Drug Store.

Could not dress myself without help. Now I am relieved from all pain and soreness, and am enabled to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain."

Try a bottle, only 50c, at John A. Swear-ingen's Drug Store. Parties purchasing can make terms of payment to suit themselves, or in ten annual installments, conditions that they improve this season. 10 per cent. of the purchase money will be required to be paid on day of sale, same to be returned when improvements are made. Those who purchase not intending to improve this season, 10 per cent. on day of sale and 15 per cent. in 30 days. House of 8 rooms, in good condition, on one of the West Main street lots, will be opened for inspection three days immediately before sale, or at any other

JESSE LEFORGEE & SONS.+

DANA AT HIS DESK. THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK SUN AND HOW HE WORKS.

He Goes Up to His Office Two Steps at n Time, Is Always Ready to Talk Business, and Won't Be an Old Man Till

[Special Correspondence.] New York, Feb. 27.—A stranger to New York standing in the counting room of The New York Sun, between 9:30 and 10 o'clock a. m., on almost any day in the year, would a. m., on almost any day in the year, would be apt to see a tall, muscular man pass through and go up stairs. If he was observant he would notice that this man moved quickly and alertly, and if the stranger followed him, would probably find him taking the stairs two at a time. On arriving at the third floor the stranger would see the tall man pass through a wicket gate, which closed with a spring after him, and disappear through a side door into the editorial rooms. At the same time the stranger would find himself confronted at the wicket gate by a nicely dressed boy, who would politicly ask himself confronted at the wicket gate by anicely dressed boy, who would politely ask him the nature of his business. If he were fortunate enough to carry with him a letter of introduction to Mr. Charles Anderson Dana from a common friend the boy would disappear for a moment, carrying the letter with him, and on returning would ask the stranger to walk into Mr. Dana's room.

sanctorum, he looks around him and sees a plainly furnished, uncarpeted room about 12 by 14 feet in size. On the walls hang por-traits of Abraham Lincoln, the four Harper brothers, Count Johannes, Horace Greeley reading The Tribune and a fine steel engraving of a young girl rapt in dreamy medita-tion. The mantel of the unused fireplace, for the room is heated by steam, is covered with bric-a-brac gathered from all parts of which ories and against a roll in parts of the world. Among these are a curious device in wood, half lizard, half frog, which has evidently been used as an idel at one time; edd pieces of pottery, meatly grotseque; a faded chromo of the Emperor William, and a medallion bust of Ben Butter. In the middle of the room stands a large of volving bookcase within easy reach of the editor's hand. The contents of this bookcase of the penal code stands beside five volumes on botany. Three Bibles are wedged in between a copy of the legislative manual and Paseal's Constitution of the United States. The supply of detionaries is abundant and covers Spanish, French, Latin, Greek and English. The civil list and two volumes of the geological survey of California rest on a leaves shelf. of the penal code stands beside five volume

There are two small tables in the editor's room. On one is piled up books for review, and the other stands beside a window which and the other stands beside a window which overlooks City Hall park and the municipal buildings. Latterly Mr. Dana has dropped into the habit of working chiefly at the small table by the window. From a brass headed nail driven into the window casing hang two coats, which show a good deal of wear at the cloows. One of these is heavy and intended for winter use, and the other is more in a preparation.

vorn in summer. When Mr. Dana enters his room he takes his seat in a stout caken armehair, which contains a well worn cushion covered with red leather. Judging from its appearance this chair has seen long service, but, like its owner, it is well preserved, and capable of

owner, it is well preserved, and capable of still longer service.

The first hour of the editor's working day is taken up with examining his mail and an-swering letters, of which he daily receives about forty. Among these are many from well meaning people, who generously proffer advice as to the best method of conducting a great daily newspaper. These are thrown in the waste basket. Some of the letters bear furnishing postmarks, and contain pleasant reforeign postmarks, and contain pleasant re-minders from distinguished men whom Mr. Dana has met and fraternized with in his travels, for with all the conservatism of advancing years, there is a spice of Bohemian-ism in Mr. Dana's character that nothing ism in Mr. Dana's character that nothing will eradicate. Other letters arrive asking for advice from personal friends, who, though they may differ with Mr. Dana polit-ically, yet recognize in him a true and faith-

ful exponent of America for Americans, This necessary work done, he calls for the principal exchange newspapers from other cities, which he glances over quickly, but comprehensively. Then he looks through the New York papers. After having thus fortified himself with a knowledge of all the leading topics of the day, he calls in his stenographer. He then dictates his editorials. Greatly to the relief of The Sun's com-positors, Mr. Dana now seldom puts pen to paper. When he does write his pen-inniship is simply execuable. Probably-no man in this country is Mr. Dana's superior in rapidity and fluency of thought and expression. On his re-turn from a trip to Mexico about two years ago ho talked off a column and a half when he revised this in type it needed very little correction. Mr. Dana's editorials form a fitting culmination for the other columns of The Sun. They are brisk, pithy and say in a few words, aptly chosen, what others try to express in labored sentences of wearisome



Any man who has business with Mr. Dana can get access to him, but he will not allow his time to be taken up on any allow his time to be taken up on any frivolous pretext. It is said that not long since an old darkey from Georgia called at The Sun office and sent in a request to see Mr. Dana, who sent back word to the applicant that he was very busy and could see no one. But the darkey was importunate. He said to the boy who attends the wicket gate:
"I mus' see him, honey. I'se bin reading. The Sun dese many years, an' I jest want to shake him by the han', chile, jes' run in an ax him if he won't come out an shake ban's.'
The "chile" wont in and came out followed by Mr. Dana, who shook hands and had a ew moments' conversation with his admirer The darkey went away delighted and looking at the hand which had classed that of the elebrated editor.
Although Mr. Dana writes comparatively

Renews Her Youth. Mrs. Phebo Chesley, Peterson, Clay co,, Iowa, tells the following remarkable story,

INMAN & LAWRENCE, at their restan rant, south side Lincoln Square, serve lunch, oysters and regular meals at low prices. No better place in town. Re taurant open all night. dec16-d&wtf

HENRY BROS make the largest loaves of home made bread of any in the city, bread delivered promptly anywhere it is

JAMES HOLLINGER has purchased the barber shop in the north end of Central Block, where all old friends and new callers as well will receive a hearty welcome, and get shaving work done in first class style. Hair cutting a specialty.

few of the editorials which appear daily in The Sun, he keeps a keen watch on all the matter that goes into the paper. Congress-man Amos J. Cammings, at a recent banquet, gave a very graphic description of the solemn way in which Lir. Dana used to stand in the

way in which Mr. Dana used to stand in the composing room and, laying his finger on the galleys of type, say "Kill! kill! kill!" as though he were sentencing men to death.

His visitors comprise men in every station of life. Statesmen, diplomats, artists, sclentists, musicians and pugilists visit him, and always meet with a hearty reception.

For a man who is nearly 70 years old, Mr. Dana is remarkably vigorous. Indeed, it is

Dana is remarkably vigorous. Indeed, it is an axiom with him that a man is not old until he has reached his 90th year. In the summer he always walks to Roosevelt ferry him to be a summer to the summ on his way to his summer residence at ho-soris, and when he is accompanied by an errand boy the latter finds it difficult to keep

oace with him. In Mr. Dana is developed an almost pas-sionate love for the beautiful. Whether in his town residence or at his country summer his town residence or at his country summer resort, he has so arranged it that his eye always rests on a splendid galaxy of infinite variety of form and color. Whether it be a huge canvas or a small ministure, the figure of Hercules or a bronze medallion, a tiny orchid or a huge pine tree, his appreciative mind finds fresh charms at each renewed contemplation of the object. Music, the drama and literature also afford him unalloved delight. Even the grosser desires of alloyed delight. Even the grosser desires of apoyed denight. Even the grosser desires a satisfying the palate gives rise in him to keen enjoyment, but he stops short with the fastidiousness of an epicurean, and never descends to the wanton luxuriousness of a

sybarite. A laughable anecdote is told of a reporter who had joined the staff of The Evening Sun soon after its commencement. He was comone morning, and was reading a newspaper. An elderly gentleman, with a gray beard and spectacles, came into the car, and, sitting down beside the reporter, accidentally leaned on that gentleman. The reporter, who flattered himself on his powers of sizing up his man, addressing the stranger in tones of freezing politeness, said: "Have you had your breakfast, sir!"

"Xes," replied the stranger, blandly.
"Well, sir, I should feel much obliged if on would kindly lean on it."

With this crushing annihilation the re-porter settled himself again to his newspaper, and half an hour afterward was gleefully telling his colleagues in The Evening Sun office the incident, when the gentleman who figured as the other party entered the room. He immediately told his companions of the fact, but found the laughter gone out of

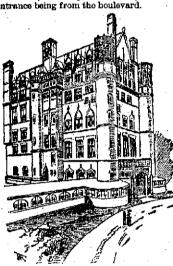
"Do you know who that is?" said one.
"That's Charles A. Dans, editor of The Sun."
ERNEST JARROLD.

A HOMEOPATHIC COLLEGE. they Propose to Erect a Fine Structur for that Purpose in New York.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—It is proposed to crect
a Homeopathic Medical college here, a cut of
which is given. The college and hospitals are intended to form a group of buildings of which the college will be the center, the others, a surgical pavilion, a maternity hospital, a medical hospital and a training school for nurses, which latter is to be really the dwelling for the nurses, their real school being the wards of the hospitals. The architectural style is the late French

gothic, the style of the latter part of the Fifteenth century. The site is on the eastern boulevard, at Sixty-third street, the chief entrance being from the boulevard.



NEW YORK'S 'HOMEOPATHIC COLLEGE. On the lowest or ground floor of the college the central hall. Covered passages lead to the central hall. Covered passages lead to the corner towers, where the winding stairs ascend to the anatomical and dissecting room above. The first floor above is for the library and senior lecture room. On the second floor to the west in a senies of small second. floor to the west, in a series of small rooms vate investigation in chemistry and the like. store rooms for apparatus, etc. The plan of this second story shows the lower part of the anatomical theatre, the lecturer's disk, and the lowest seats. The plan of the third story shows the upper seats.

On the top floor is the dissecting room, and toilet room is arranged to connect with it. There is no access to the dissecting room exept through the professor's rooms. It is intended that every student entering the hall shall go through the toilet room and change his dress, and, leaving, he shall return through the toilet room. It is intended that all the appointments about the building shall surpass any other similar institution in the

The English Tradesman's Courtesy In his relations to his customer the English rnisher is very different from the Ameri an. The former pays much more carefu and considerate attention to a customer than s to be seen on this side of the water. ndividual person is given an amount of time, explanation and suggestion far beyond what an American would think of giving. This is in pursuance of the Englishman's policy of g everything possible to please and assist made. His employes and clerks are educated on this principle, also, and are taught never to push undesirable or questionable goods on established customers; and they have to follow the same precept with the chance customer, in order to get his good will and make a friend of him. The habitual courtesy and consideration on the part of tradesman and clerk tells in the long run and gives an attraction to the fine English shop that is sadly lacking in many of our American stores.—The Haberdasher

Married a Widow. Gentleman (who has recently married a widow)—Smith offered me his warmest congratulations today, my dear.
Ex-Widow (surprised)—Why, I thought

that Mr. Smith was one of your bitterest memies? Gentleman—He is; and that's just what

bothers me.—The Epoch.

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LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clarks, book-keepers and bu-siness men generally, at B. Stink's.

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Go to Cheap Charley's clothing house CHEAP CHARLEY can and will save you noney on anything you buy of him.

Es. Chamberlain in Falladalphia.

BRILADELPHIA, March L.—Rt. Hon
Joseph Chamberlain arrived in this city
from Washington yesterday afternoon
He was met at the Broad Sirel audion
by a committee consisting of Captain
Clipperton, grand accretary of the Orde
of Sons of St. George; J. Henry Will
iams, Thon M. Thompson; George Dixe
and Dr. Schenen. He was exceted to the
Lafayette Hotel, where he will occupy
suite of rooms during his stay in the
city. His secretaries, Captain Mayouci
and Mr. Burna, accompanied him.

The distinguished visitor will be enter
tained during his stay in this city. Yes
terday afternoon at five o'clock he wa
dined at the Union League by the society
of the Sons of St. George, and last even
ing he gave a reception in Horticultura
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chamberiain will visit various points of interest in the city, and this evening he will be entertained by George W. Childs who will give a banquet in his honor. He will leave for New York on Friday of Saturday, and will sait for England next

The Flynn-Squire Trial Begun.

BABY CARRIAGES.



LATEST

The Firm-Squire Trial Segua.

NEW YORK, March L.—The trial of Maurice B. Flynn and Rollin M. Squire, ex-Commissioner of Public Works, charged with conspiracy against the city, was begun yesterday. Assistant District Attorney Dospasses opened for the prosecution. At the conclusion of his address several motions were made to quash certain counts in the indictment, all of which were overruled.

Ex-Mayor Edson testified that he appointed Squire commissioner of public works. He was about to testify to conversation with Squire, when the defense STYLES, versation with Squire, when the defense objected and were sustained.

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WANTED—Immediately, to room and board a husband and wife, a runners wife, or an elderly lady. Call on or address, 1. M. H.,506 West William street. Mar1-diw\*

WANTED-A good man who understands gardening. Employment turnished through the year. Enquire at this office. Reh28-dta

WANTED—A protestant girl, with good reference. Rone other need upply. Mrs. George Hunsley, No. 432 East Prairie street.

WANTED,—Take your old copper and brass to H. Mueller & Sons, 222 East Main street. They will pay the highest prices. 23-dis\*

NOT wishing to keep house 1 will sell my restained at a bargain, if sold by April 1, '88.
I also have a new buggy that I will sell below wholesale cost.
Feb 22-dim

TOR SALE—A span of good mules and a five P year old brood mure. Apply to Miner Brook, the dairyman. feb15-dtt

City Chamberlain Ivina identified the letter in which Squire promised to obey Flynn's directions. He was asked as to conversations about the letter with Flynt. The defense objected. The district attorney said that if the objection was sustained he would have to give up the case. The court reserved his decision until to

Betting Up the Stakes for Grover.

ALBANY. N. Y., March 1.—Wm. Stainway, of New York, the member of the Democratic National committee representing New York State, arrived here yesterday and had a conference with Senator Murphy. As Mr. Murphy is recognized as President Cleveland's representative in the State Senate, there are numerous conjectures as to the object of the conference. It is thought by the mathe conference. It is thought by the ma-jority of the Democratic politicians here that the conference is for the purpose of adopting measures for the election of solid Cleveland delegation to the National Democratic convention. Mr. Steinway also made a formal call on Governor Hill

HOW TO SELL BUTTER.

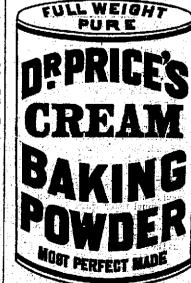
A Susiness-Like System That Will Pay on Every Farm.

Dairymen who can not patronize creameries will find it to their advantage to secure customers in the nearest village or city, who will regularly consume all the butter they can make. If a first-class article is produced it is not difficult to get more consumers than butter can be made for. Aside from the advantage of obtaining retail prices. there is really a saving in delivering the butter over the system of selling it at the stores, for private customers, having once learned the quantity they will use for the week or fortnight, rarely take less and frequently order extra quantities for special occasions, if it can be obtained. There is no farmer, however distant from market, who should not go at least once in two

Let pains be taken to pack the butter in the neatest way possible and to have it arrive in the very best condition so far as texture and surroundings are concerned. Aim always to have the vehicle it is carried in, also the crates, jars and other packages containing it as clean and attractive as they can be made. If it is necessary to carry apples, vegetables, hides or other prolucts of the farm in the same wagon, let these be disposed of before the customers are served, and never allow any thing with a pungent odor like the kerosene can to be carried in the same wagon. The difficulty last mentioned can sometimes be overcome by suspending the offending article for transportation below the ing article for transportation below the ly of the wagon. If a littly though is used and a few postal cards. it will be easy to get into correspondence with one's customers, who will frequently order sweet corn. green peas, string beans, pot cheese and other articles of light weight, but great profit, to be delivered when the butter is brought

A little printer's ink is often of ad vantage to farmers who follow this kind of trade, which is far more profitable than peddling, as it takes less time. The ink should be used in printing neat circulars which can be mailed to or left with customers, and other whom it is desired to make such These can plainly and briefly say what day the producer comes in town, what he will furnish, and whatever is wanted can be ordered when he is in, or before he arrives, by mail. This business-like system will pay on many farms where it has never yet been attempted, and this is the proper season of the year to make arrangements, look un customers

A BULL FIGHT was recently given in Chihushus for the benefit of a Sunday abool.



Its superior excellence proven in millions of houses for more than a quarter of a century. It is used by the United Siste's Government. But dorsed by the cheeks of the Great Universities at the Strongest, Furest, and most Healthril. Price's Cream Baking Fowder does not contain Animongla-Lime or Alum. Sold only in case FRICE BAKING POWDER CO.

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FREE! A 9-toot French Glass, Oval ront, Niekei or Cheury Cigar Show Orse; ferchants only. Address at ones. nits only. Address at ones. R. W. Tamera & Co., as shore.

Government. CHICAGO, March 1.—A Winnipeg dispatch snys: It is stated on good and thority that the deficit of the late Norquay-Harrison government will amount to \$1,200,000. Ex-Premier Harrison has gone South, and it is rumored will not return to Manitoba. The local House meet on Thursday, and some of the greatest revelations ever made in Canada are ex-pected. Greenway, who is backed by almost the entire people, except a few Dominion adherents, is determined to bring the province into the haven of prosperity. Martin, the desperate de-bater and fighter for rights, said that the Red River Vailey railroad would be built no matter at what cost, whether Sir John Macdonald interposed or not.

supporting a gallery of the theater were found to intersect the party wall between

FOR RENT—The third floor over "The Fair."

Fix rooms, will be rented to one family. Also, the two south rooms, 3d floor over Abel's carpet store. Enquire of W. F. BUSHEL. feblo-dif REMOVAL NOTIGE—M. C. Lilly, formerly to under Decatur National Bank, has removed to 310 North Water street, opposite First M. E. shurch, 2nd floor, where he is interparent to do all kinds of jobbing work, and makes a specialty of edge tool dressing, gunsmithing, locks and keys, gasoline stoyes, &c., &c. jan8-dtf

MATTRESSES.—Mattresses and feathers renovated by the latest improved unchinery at the Mattress Factory, 503 N. Broadway. Also mastresses exchanged for feathers. Give us a call of telephone 153.

NOVIS-dt. OOX & CHAMBERLAIN.

OFFICE FOR RENT—over B. Sline's clothing store. Rent reasonable. Call at B. STINE'S.

FOR RENT—A house of four rooms and outers, with good cellar, well and cistorn. Inquire of F. W. NIEDERMEYER, on the Mound.

WANTED—Reerybody to know that Bachma Bros. 24s, East Main Street, have on han a lot of second-hand Stoves, GOOD AS NEW which will be sold at HALF PRIOE. puly1-dif

Southern Land Excursion.

The Illinois Central R. R. will sell round tru and Artesia, Miss.; Hammond, Crowley, Jen nings, Welsh and Lake Charles, Louisiana: Cit rate of one limited fare for the round trip, o rate of one limited fare for the round trip, on the following dates, viz! Feb. 2ist, March 6th and 20th, April 3d and 2th, May 8th and 22d, and June 5th. These are the lowest rates ever made to these points, and parties who desire to visit the south should by all means take advantage of them. For full information, circulars, excursion bills, Sc., apply to the understaned at Manchester, lows.

[abs Gen. West. Pass. Agt.

Notice. The public is notified that the office of the Decatur Charity Organization is lo-cated at 247 East Main street; office hours 8 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 5 p. ra. A register is kept at the office, where persons in search of employment can have their names enrolled. All parties wanting to secure men or women to do work should apply at the office for information. 123-dtf

The popularity of these few articlesour Windsor, Mocha and Java Coffee and Princess Tea and XXXX Maple Syrup— has clearly demonstrated to us the fact for winter butter, have the printing done for early spring and prepare to make money.—Farm and Home.

has clearly demonstrated to us the fact that Decatur people will use the best goods when they know where to get them. Respectfully, j28-dtf Dinges & Cloyd. 

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at my omee and make payment of the same without delay.

Office hours from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Office with Mills Bros., over Linn & Scruggs'store. H. Mahannah, Collector. Decatur, Ill., Jan. 29, 1888. j3ld&w7w

Knowing the tremendous advance in Coffee within the past year, the reader will be surprised—we repeat it, surprised—to see what an excellent coffee can be had for 25c per pound at 128-dtf Dinges & Cloyd's.

THE Court House restaurant is a good place to board by the week. Day board \$8 per week. Board and room \$4. Good room and table first class. Give us a call. 189 South Water Street.

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Sur the "Home Comfort" Ranges at Morehouse, Welle & Co.'s.

D. W. BRENEMAN & BRO. will hold a public sale, March 6, 1888, at their farm, one-half mile north of Decatur, of 40 and Geldings from 3 to 5 years old. Jan 28-da wew

1500 New Closks and Wraps, For ladies and children, in elegant styles and decidedly cheap, at LINN & SORUGOS.

Two Old Reliable Peter Schuttler and Molina Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman. feb18-dawif

The Cause of the Fire.

New York, March 1.—Chief Spay of
the fire departments and Fire Marshal
Sheldon have discovered the cause of the
Union Square Theater fire. The joints

the theater and the Morton House at the theater and the Morton House at a point where a fine existed. The ends of the joists slowly became charred, and finally ignited, causing the conflagration. This serious defect in construction has ex-isted for years, constantly endangering the lives of the patrons of the theater and the guests of the hotel. Opposed to the Opening of the Canal,

SOUTHAMPTON, L. I., March 1.—The Bay men of this town are bitterly opposed to the opening of a new canal to connect Shinnecook bay with the coean. Tuesday night a number of them wearing masks made a descent on the watchman guard-ing the works of the canal now in progress of construction, drove him away and undid all the work that had been done on the canal. The identity of the men is un-

Death of a Fugitive From Justice. BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 29.—Lorenzo Dimick, the well-known marine insurance agent, died at St. Catharines, Ont., last night, whither he had fled to escape serving a sentence for a fraudulent transfer of losses from the Continental company to other companies which he represented. and by which they were made to bear losses not properly belonging to them.

For Humanity's Sake. Ottawa, Ont. March 1.-Mr. Kirk-patrick has given notice that on Thurs-day he will introduce a bill to allow American vessols to render aid to

A Wabash "Cannon Ball." It appears that the Wabash Bailway which has heretofore been only a spects tor of the strife of the great roads for fast time passenger traffic to Kansas City and the far west, has determined to enter the field as a competitor. An official announcement is made that the Wabsel will, beginning March 4th, run a fast "limited" train daily, except Sunday, from Toledo, Ohio, to Kansas City, leaving Toledo at 10:15 a. m.; Ft. Wayne 1:50 p. m. Lafayette, 4:50 p. m.; Darville, 6:35 p.m.; Decatur, 9:10 p. m.; Springfield, 10:30 p. m.; resching Kansas City next morning at 9:00 o'clock, thus making the entire dis-tance of 662 miles in less than twenty. three hours. Chair cars will be run it each train through from Toledo to Kansas City and vice versa without changes and free of charge. By taking this trampassengers will be saved the annoyance and discomfort of a change of cars at any point or work.

point en route. Notice to Tax Payers.

The taxes for the year 1887 are now due, and as the time for making the collection is shorter than in former years, by reason of a change in the law, all who are

Dont en route.

A fast train leaving Chicago daily at 2:00 p. m. will connect at Decatur with the above train at 9:10 p. m., Sunday excepted, arriving at Kansas City at 9:00 s.

A return train will be run over the same route, from Kansas City to Toledo and Chicago, leaving Kansas City about dily, except Sunday, over a line qual to the best of the competing road in the qualities which make a road at

tractive to travelers.

From the first it has been easy to gues that the enterprising Wabash would not long be content without claiming a share of the Kansas City fast time travel; and it is now evident that the claim is about to be asserted with an energy which wil command success. Mar1-2w

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andsome, and at low prices.
d&w Linn & Sorveos.

Cooneco Flannel Shirts, in all the latest shades, plaited bosom, perfect in fit, at B. Stine's. A FULL line of Boys' and Youth's Pat ent Leather Sippers just received at Powers & Haworth. d10-dtf

No Change of Cars to California.

Palace Sleeping Cars will run through to Callfornia without change via the Wabash Railway, St. Louis and the St. L., I. M. & S. R. Y. leaving Toledo on train No. 45 at 12:10 a. m. February 18th. No snow blockades via the Great Southern Loure. Secture your sleeping car. berths early. Tlekets for sale at greatly reduced rates, good for six months.

For rates of fare, tickets, or information regarding routes to all points north tion regarding routes to all points norm, south, west, or northwest, call on or address C. O. Judson, ticket agent I. C., P., D. & E. and T. H. & P. roads at Union depot, who will furnish maps, folders, acc, showing time of departure and arrival at destination. Haworth Wagon.



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Chancery Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS, 89.

MACON COUNTY, 89.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D.
1888.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1888.
Isaac Gebhart vs. Mary J. Gebhart—Divorce. Affidavit of the non-residence in this state of said Mary J. Gebhart, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Mary J. Gebhart that the above named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupen issued out of said Court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, on the first Monday in the month of June, A. D. 1888.

Now unless you, the said Mary J. Gebhart, shall be and appear on the first day of said term.

June, A. D. 1888.

Now unless you, the said Mary J. Gebhart, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
B. I. STERRETT, Sol. for Com. feb3-44w

The Sale of L. R. Morse and Lewis Stookey has been postponed to

Saturday, March 3.∗

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